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RE: AUTOGOV ASSET VERIFICATION SYSTEM

FOR LONG TERM CARE MEDICAL ASSISTANCE CASES

PROGRAM AFFECTED: LONG TERM CARE (LTC)

ORIGINATING OFFICE: OFFICE OF PROGRAMS

SUMMARY:

At last, a long-awaited enhancement to the clearance process for LTC applications and redeterminations is here! The AutoGov Asset Verification System, or AVS, provides a valuable check on client assets, much like we use MABS or The Work Number to check employment income for non-LTC applications. The AVS is included in the AutoGov Scoring Tool in SAIL Admin and it ensures that the State meets the Federal asset verification requirements in Section 1940 of the Social Security Act.

ACTION REQUIRED:

The LTC Bureau recently created Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) for using AutoGov and they are attached to this Action Transmittal. To repeat the message, the AutoGov asset check must be used for new applications and when the redetermination forms are received.

To access the SAIL Administration site, enter the URL address https://www.marylandsail.org/SailAdmin into the web browser on your computer. Log into the site using your current SAIL logon ID and password. Please contact a security monitor if you have difficulty accessing the site.

INQUIRIES:

Please direct AutoGov system issues to the HELP Desk at 410-767-7002. Please direct AutoGov/AVS inquiry issues to Mazie Johnson at 410-455-7511 or mazie.johnson@maryland.gov. Please direct Medical Assistance policy questions to DHMH Division of Eligibility Policy at 410-767-1463 or 1-800-492-5231 (select option 2 and request extension 1463).

c: DHR Executive Staff
DHMH Management Staff
FIA Management Staff
DHR Help Desk

DHMH Executive Staff
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Family Investment Administration Standard Operation Procedures (SOPs) For AutoGov Asset Verification System

Effective Date: Upon Receipt of the AVS Action Transmittal

Background

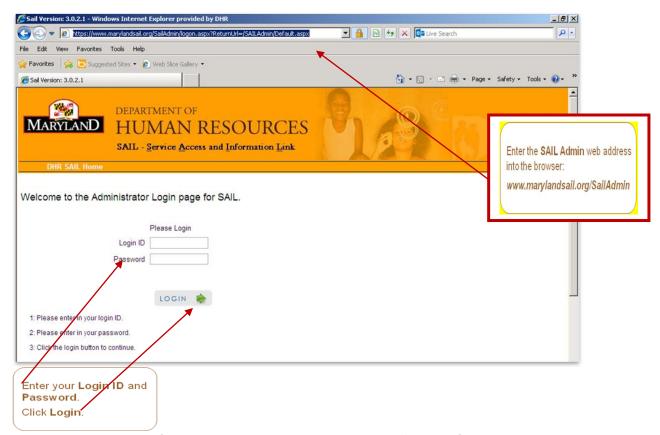
AutoGov is a tool that provides risk scores that improves case managers' workflow by identifying the cases that are ready for processing. AutoGov CaseVue generates a score that provides information about a client's risk level for becoming eligible for Long Term Care (LTC).

Recently, AutoGov was enhanced to present banking information for many of the major financial institutions. The Asset Verification System (AVS) ensures that the State meets recently added Federal asset verification requirements in Section 1940 of the Social Security Act.

Policy

Case managers who process Long Term Care applications and redeterminations are now required to access AVS data using the AutoGov Scoring Tool in SAIL Admin.

- To access the SAIL Administration site, enter the URL address: https://www.marylandsail.org/SailAdmin into the web browser on your computer.
- Log into the site using your current SAIL logon ID and password.
- The AutoGov application should be used for new applications and when the redetermination is received.

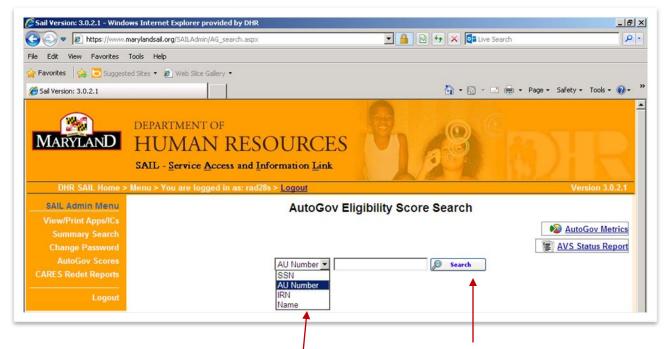


From the DHR SAIL Home page click on "AutoGov Scores"



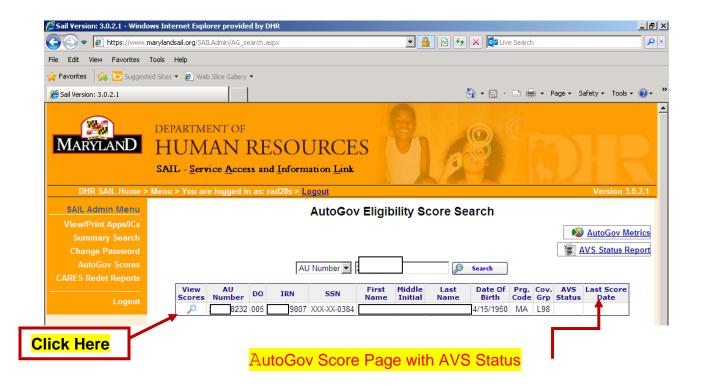
The following screens will guide you in accessing your customer's information using the IRN (Customer ID), AU (Assistance Unit ID), Name or Social Security Number (SSN).

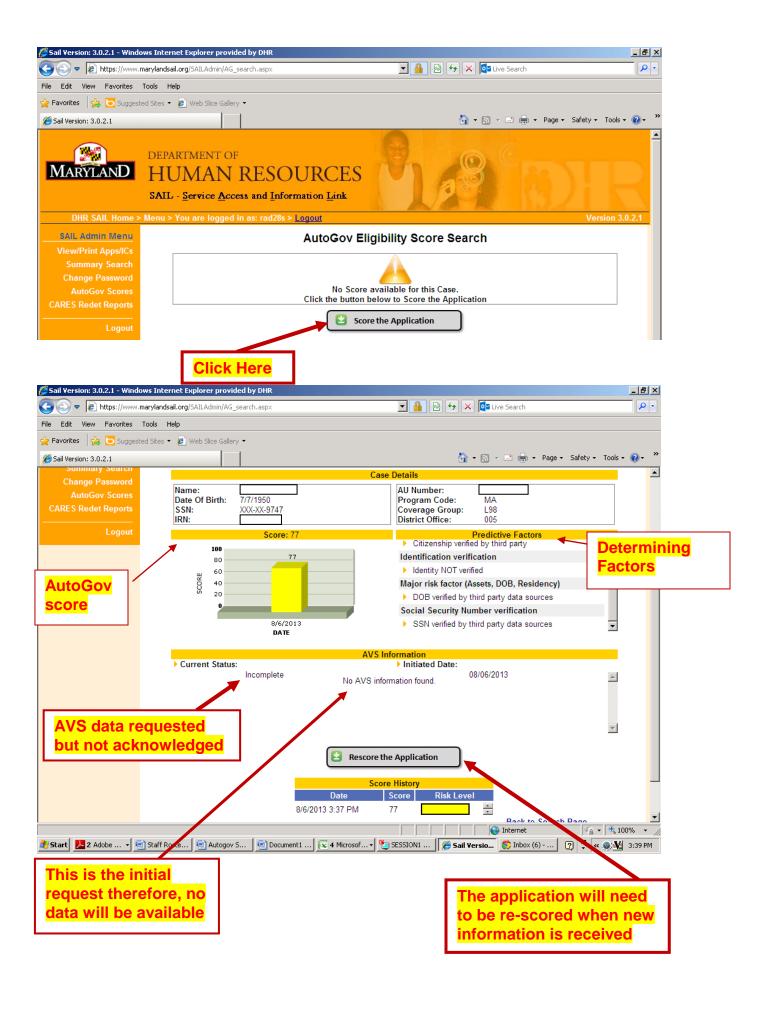
AU or IRN are the preferred methods of accessing case data.



Choose how you are going to search here.

Click Search here.





Note: At this point, the score search screen will indicate the demographics for the client. AVS information will include a status of the transaction. Here are the status definitions:

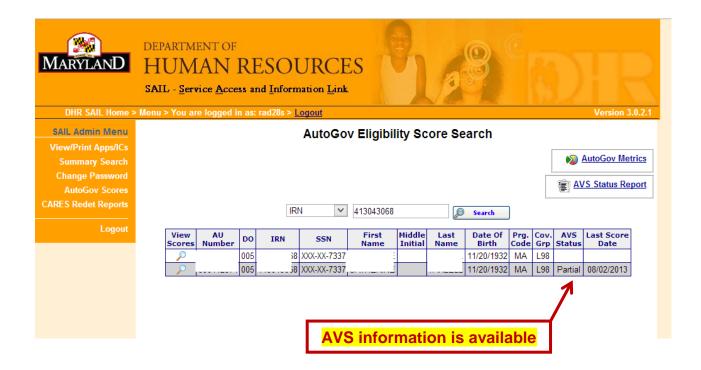
- Incomplete AVS data requested but not acknowledged
- Pending AVS data request acknowledged waiting on response from financial institutions
- Partial AVS data available, at least one financial institution has responded
- Complete AVS data complete, as the 32 days financial institution response time has expired

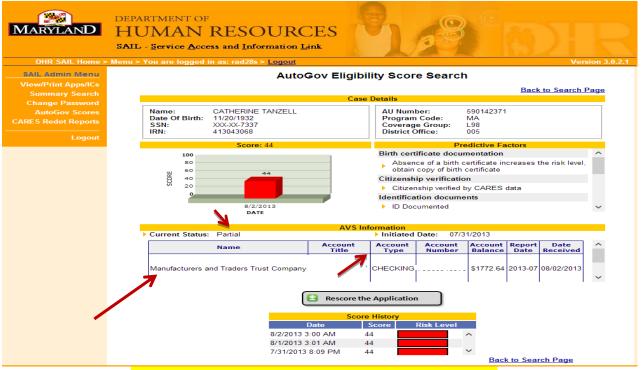


AutoGov Score Page with a filled AVS Status

Back to Search Page

AutoGov Eligibility Score Search Back to Search Page AU Number: Program Code: Name: Date Of Birth: SSN: Coverage Group: District Office: L98 005 100 Age is within risky range 80 Birth certificate documentation 60 Absence of a birth certificate increases the risk level, obtain copy of birth certificate Citizenship verification 20 Citizenship verified by third party Current Status: Pendin Initiated Date: 08/06/2013 ٨ No AVS information found. AVS data request acknowledged waiting on response from financial Rescore the Application institutions 8/7/2013 3:00 AM 8/6/2013 3:37 PM





AutoGov View Score Page with AVS Information

AU Num	IRN	AVS Status	Initiated Date	Transaction Date
211101014	156893711	Completed	5/10/13 12:00 AM	5/14/13 12:00 AM
31201015	156789163	Completed	5/11/13 12:00 AM	5/14/13 12:00 AM

AVS will continue to update AutoGov up to 32 days, then the status will change to Completed

